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Group: 2827

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Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT A

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the Official Action mailed March 24, 2003.

Provisional election is hereby made to prosecute the invention of Group I, comprising claims 1-6.

A divisional application is being filed for the non-elected process claims 7-15.

An action on the merits is respectfully requested.

In the event there are any fee deficiencies or additional fees are payable, please charge them (or credit any overpayment) to our deposit account number 08-1391.

Respectfully submitted,

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